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MOVING

It's a cheerful word isn't it, D d you ever try it? House cleaning is a kind of small sister compared with it, yet it has its bright spots.

We expect to open our **NEW STORE** in a few days, we will then open many cases of **New Goods**, and as it is our intention to build up a **Big Business** in Strathmore we will offer **Better Values** than you've been used to. You'll no doubt hear some unpleasant things about us when the opposition shoe pinches, but don't lose sight of the fact that the Store that's the most good to any community wherein it does business is the Store that offers the **Best Goods** at the **Best Prices**, this being a direct benefit to the masses.

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NEW GROCERIES
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At Reasonable Prices

SUITS

THAT FIT AND PLEASE

Working Men's Togs at
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Four Stores but only One Price

FROM SHACK TO MANSION
 Everything in the way of
HOUSE DECORATING AND
PAINTING
 For GOOD WORK Go to the Men
 who KNOW HOW
Luck & Wood,
THE EXPERTS
 BOX 304 STRATHMORE

OFFICE & STORE
ON
MAIN AVENUE
 WHERE WE KEEP
 A LARGE STOCK OF
WALL PAPERS,
PAINTS, OILS, ETC.
 At lowest possible rates
 Signwriting Specialty
 Estimates Freely Given

COAL! COAL!!
 H. A. MICHAELIS begs
 to inform the public that he
 has taken over the Coal
 Business of J. W. Waddy,
 and is now ready to deliver
 on Shortest Notice. Will
 also handle
FIREWOOD.

LOCAL JOTTINGS

This is the kind of weather that makes the farmer and every one else who has any interest in this year's crop feel good.

The snowfall on Wednesday and Thursday mornings and for the most part of Friday provided abundant moisture, and it thawed almost as soon as it fell.

If you are in the market for a buggy we have a big stock to select from.—Shilson & Godfrey

A reception was given at Orange Valley School last night to the new settlers at Cairnhill. As we went to press last night we are unable to give a report of it this issue.

Mr Higginbottom, who up to last spring was employed with the Demonstration Farm, is back again from the U.S.A.

Some objection has been taken to a note we had in last week regarding the petition against the granting of a second license in Strathmore. From what we have heard since we have no reason to alter our opinion on the advisability of getting up a petition, having it signed, storing it away till it is no longer fresh, and then bringing it to the light of day for additional signatures. It should have been actively prosecuted since first commenced.

The Standard has refrained from saying anything for or against on the subject of the proposed license, as it is a matter for the public and commissioners to judge. The application will come before the commissioners at Calgary on Tuesday.

The new dry goods for the Strathmore Trading Coy., Mr Currie, who arrived on Wednesday, hail from the U.S.A., but knows a number of people around here.

Mr J. T. Worthington, president of the Strathmore Farmers' Union, has been appointed by the Lee Manufacturing Co., of Pembroke, Ont., as their agent for this province. This is a most reliable and well-established firm, who have built up a wonderful business in poultry appliances.

Mr N. A. Michaelis has purchased from Principal Spicer his house on Fifth Street, and is occupying same. Mr and Mrs Spicer have moved into the house lately vacated by Mr A. Fraser.

Mr and Mrs A. Fraser left Strathmore on Monday for Calgary, where they will reside in future. Since coming here in May last, Mr Fraser has built two houses on Fifth Street, doing practically all the work on them himself, although over seventy years of age. Their departure is a loss to the community.

Mr J. Hauskins has returned from Seattle, where he has spent some weeks. "Jake" made good use of his time while away, for he sold four sections of land, and traded another.

Mr Henry Sorenson will address the local U.F.A. on the subject of irrigation, with special relation to the water duty, on April 29.

Don't forget the big gopher hunt on April 15.

Talking about gophers. Last week one of our new colonists saw two boys in front of Gillies' restaurant with a gopher at the end of a string. "Dear, Dear! what a cute little dog!" said the new arrival.

So many people are visiting town these days that the management of the King Edward have been compelled to open the store formerly occupied by Mr Saunders as first-class bedrooms.

Mr F. H. Tucker, the census-taker this week, informs us that his count of the population with 14th press 144,415, 150, was a very conservative one.

Mr E. E. Thompson, of Minot, North Dakota, and his wife, arrived here on Thursday. Mr Thompson intends to stay here this summer and develop a quarter-section he owns 3 1/2 miles north of h. r. e. He also owns some property in town.

Among visitors here this week were:—
 H. W. Hanson, Fremont, Nebr.
 A. W. McGuire, Mead, Ont.
 Geo. Major, Esmer, Kent.
 R. H. Hollingshead, Valley City, North Dakota
 A. Koehon, Iron Mountain, Mich.
 John Skyrne, Dowers Grove, Ill.
 W. Bink, London

Robt. McKay has returned, having performed his homestead duties during the winter. He is now working with Messrs Barr & Hill.

Dr Max Weidman, promoter of the Sugar Beet Coy., and Mr Henry Schwarz, were in town Monday.

Jas. S. Gunn, who came out from California, Scotland, last week, is now employed in the King Edward blacksmith shop.

W. E. Cumming has a large stock of beautiful Easter Cards, Call and inspect them.

There are a large number of ad. changes this week. Study them and save money.

We are now publishing the biggest newspaper in the Bow Valley.

The new irrigation department, whose headquarters will be in Strathmore, will employ between 300 and 400 men, and will be in full operation within a few weeks. The water will be turned on the ditch about the beginning of May. The farmers of the Western Section will have the benefit of the advice and assistance of Mr Stockton and his force of assistants in laying out the water. The whole scheme will be carried out in a manner which will ensure everyone getting an ample supply of water.

Hugh, the youngest son of Mr and Mrs G. T. Berry, arrived here yesterday from Upper Canada College, Toronto.

The newly-formed Serviceberry Creek School District (O. R. Booth) has made application for power to borrow \$1,500.

As will be seen from advertisement, a special meeting of the Board of Trade will be held on Monday evening. Some very important business in regard to parks and sports grounds will come up, and all who are interested in the beautifying of our town should endeavor to attend.

Owing to change in size of this paper, the serial story has been omitted in this issue, but will appear as usual in our next.

The following tribute to Mr George Lloyd appeared in the last issue of "The Ledger" Greenwood B.C.

George Lloyd was in the city last week. About 12 years ago he was a policeman in Sandom and left that city with \$1,100. He settled at Strathmore in Alberta and ran a general store when his nearest customer lived six miles distant. He bought 47 lots for \$20 each, and afterwards sold them at prices ranging from \$200 to \$1,500 each. George now owns a 60-room hotel, store, blacksmith shop, opera house, and several other lines of business. He is also postmaster and the foremost citizen in Strathmore. During the past three years he has cleared up \$27,000 which is going some, even for an ex-policeman.

The License Application

Next Tuesday the application for a second hotel license for Strathmore will be considered by the License Commissioners. The applicant, Mr. Paul Harrison, who has centralized a 25-room hotel at the corner of 3rd Street and 2nd Avenue. Mr Harrison has secured the names of 20 out of the 40 nearest householders on a petition in favor of the license as required by law. A counter petition was got up last fall and after being held in abeyance since then, was presented last week.

DOWNIE & SALMON
General Merchants

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Staple & Fancy Groceries
Ogilvie's
Royal Household Flour
Graham & Whole Wheat,
Rolled Oats, Bran & Shorts

The Popularity of this Flour is shown by the ever increasing demand.

We also carry the Largest Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES
 In Town. Come and Look them over. See Our Values First

ONE YEAR AGO
TO-DAY WE STARTED BUSINESS IN STRATHMORE

We have a Better Store, Better Location, and we are in a Better Position to fill your wants both in

Stock and Repairs
 We thank our many friends for their patronage, and trust we may continue to serve them and many more new customers.

W. E. CUMMING, WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER
 AGENT FOR EDISON PHONOGRAPHS

Call and Inspect Our
FURNITURE DEPARTMENT

Which is now Complete in Every Line
LOW PRICES AND HIGH QUALITY

SPECIAL LINE OF PAINT \$2.00
 PER IMPERIAL GALLON

White Building Paper .85
 Tarred " " 1.00

W. E. BROWN
Hardware and Furniture
STRATHMORE ALTA.

DEERING IMPLEMENTS

Are being delivered daily, but we are stocking up as fast as they are being delivered to meet the requirements. Our

CAR OF OLIVER PLOWS
 Are now on the ground and are being delivered daily. Call and look them over, and I feel assured we can do business. We also handle the

BEST DRILL ON THE MARKET
LAND PACKERS, WAGONS,
DEMOCRATS, DISC HARROWS

A Car of
WEBER AND COLUMBUS WAGONS
 Just Arrived, Call and See Us!

Yours for business, and a Bumper Crop for 1911
A. L. CLEMENS
LICENSED AUCTIONEER

MINERS MAY STRIKE

SIX THOUSAND MINERS TO QUIT WORK ON APRIL 1

Abrupt Ending of the Conference Between the Representatives of the Operators and Operatives, It is Considered to Mean That a Strike is Inevitable—Coal Miners Will Accept Offer of the Operators.

Calgary—Six thousand miners, representing 75 per cent of the output of the mines of sixteen companies, in District 1 of the U. M. W. A., it is believed will quit work on April 1, following the abrupt ending of the conference between the representatives of the operators and operators.

The mine owners state definitely that they have no idea of approaching the operators again, the strike seems assured beyond question of doubt.

Even if no action is taken with respect to the Laramie act, each side expressed confidence in its ability to beat the other. The labor people reply that remaining out will prevent the price of coal to be exhausted, and then being able to force the operators to accept their terms.

Each side claims that it has crossed the last day of forbearance during the sixteen days of the conference, the conference, but the miners accuse the operators of very much the same activity at the last.

While the miners were willing that the question of the strike be put and check off system should remain in abeyance, or at least be postponed to a later date, the mine owners insisted on matters to a head.

This was the ultimatum which provided for a general increase of 5.00 per cent, to all branches of the mining and timbering.

The full offer of the operators was: "The general provisions of the Western Coal Miners' Association agreement, with the date of expiration fixed at March 31, 1913, and with the determination clause, and made a master of record in the same manner."

An increase of 5.00 per cent, on all day wages, and on the basis of contract prices, except on the basis of the market.

The miners replied at length, criticizing the reply resolution, which they said did not benefit the miners in any way, as far as increases go, and which left most of the work to be arranged, just as they were, with little hope of relief.

The fact that the miners in their reply said with the agreement among these 75 per cent of the miners, and the operators, is a matter of adjustment.

The suggested arbitration of the many inequalities of the conference, the miners want to see these inequalities changed, and not by any third party. They want them to be changed by themselves. Under present conditions of the coal industry, they do not get a wage commensurate with the cost of living.

It is an increase of an inequality to be \$3 per day, and in some circumstances to earn that much. Conditions should be altered in these circumstances to earn that much. They protest, too, that there should be no alteration in the discrimination clause. While the miners are willing to guarantee protection against strikes, the operators, they say, are not in a position to govern the individual acts of individuals.

RAPID MARCH OF SETTLERS
Something Better Than Four Hundred a Day and More Are On the Way.

Winnipeg, Man.,—Thirty-five thousand and the number by which the population of Western Canada will be increased by immigration since January 1, 1911. This is the figure to which settlers have been pouring into Western Canada from all quarters of the globe, according to Mr. J. H. Walker, superintendent of immigration, during the past few weeks. It is only recently that the influx began to assume such proportions.

March 21 constituted probably the biggest day this season, over a thousand arriving in the city from the East and South and bound for Western Canada.

But even this figure will be outstripped during the month of April, when the thousands now enmeshing in England and on the continent arrive here.

Irrigated Water Near Lethbridge
Lethbridge—A. C. C. and Carleton, and manager of the irrigation project, is making arrangements for the summer work on the project. He is undertaking a large contract for the irrigation of the project. The project is a large irrigation project, and the project is a large irrigation project.

Rapid Work on Alberta Central
Winnipeg—The contract for one hundred miles of railway grading and ballasting on the Alberta Central, from the division of the Western Railway to the division of the Canadian Pacific, is being worked up by the project. The project is a large irrigation project, and the project is a large irrigation project.

IF BRITAIN HAD INTERFERED

Joseph Martin Tells What Might Have Happened With Interference

London—In the house of commons yesterday, J. F. Remnant asked the under secretary of foreign affairs whether in view of the Canadian government's intention to ask to be relieved of its obligation to the United States to build a railway to the Pacific, the government had considered the possibility of a new treaty in accordance with the terms of the 1897 treaty, and the Canadian government in 1907, and that the government had the authority to negotiate a new treaty with Germany.

The under secretary, T. McKinnon Wood, replied to the first part of the question in the affirmative, saying that the main difficulty against such a treaty was the divergence of the views of the two governments concerning the rights of the colonies to form special arrangements for themselves and the mother country of which advantage did not extend to any foreign country. He said there were no negotiations for a new treaty at present.

When the under secretary asked the colonial secretary if his attention had been drawn to the fact that the British North America Act was intended as a denunciation of these treaties, Mr. Wood replied that he had seen the statement and it had been considered.

Mr. Remnant complained of the manner in which the subject was treated in the question of reciprocity, and asked the under secretary to put the question of reciprocity to the House of Commons, and to ask the government to consider the question of reciprocity, and to ask the government to consider the question of reciprocity, and to ask the government to consider the question of reciprocity.

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EXTENDING G.T.P. LINES

500 MILES OF TRACK TO BE BUILT IN THE WEST

An Important Announcement was Made by the Winnipeg Chamber of Commerce yesterday, when it was announced that the Canadian Pacific railway company had decided to extend its lines to the west.

Winnipeg—Details of the work to be taken up by the Canadian Pacific railway company in the west, according to E. J. Chamberlain, vice-president and general manager of the company, include 640 miles of branch lines, 260 miles of main line track, 200 miles of grading, and 140 new station buildings.

The total cost of the work in contemplation will be about seven million dollars.

The work will be pushed ahead as rapidly as possible, and from Prairie northward the mountain is expected that fully another 100 miles will be completed, while from the west and 190 miles will be completed.

The branch from Telford to Calgary will be completed. Already 80 miles of steel have been laid from Telford to Calgary, and this year another 145 miles will be laid.

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MANITOBA REJECTS THE OFFER

Will Not Consent to the Terms for the Extension of its Boundaries

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FAVOR THE AGREEMENT

RECIPROCIITY DISCUSSED AT A MEETING IN MONTREAL

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TWO ARRESTED AND RELEASED

No Light Upon Mysterious Murder of Farmer Near Stettin

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON 1—SECOND QUARTER, APRIL 1, 1911.

Text of the Lesson, 11 Kings v. 1-14.
Memory Verses, 13, 14—Golden Rule, 13, 14.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 1ST, 1911.

**The New Irrigation
Department**

MR. STOCKTON ARRIVES

Some time ago the C.P.R. expressed their intention of erecting a new department to take over the operation of the irrigation system in the Western Section, with Strathmore as their headquarters. Buildings and improvements were to be made to the extent of \$25,000 for the accommodation of the new department.

Two days ago the gentleman who is to superintend this department arrived here. His name is R. S. Stockton, and he hails from Montana. Mr. Stockton has been most of his life connected with irrigation systems and what he does not know about irrigation is hardly worth knowing. In an interview Thursday evening Mr. Stockton said that the force of men employed in the operation of the irrigation system would be very much increased this year, in order to have sufficient administration. A number of "watermasters" would be brought in, men who were experienced in irrigation work. Their position would be between the ditch riders and the engineers. Their business would be to deliver the water. Incidentally they would be glad to render any assistance in the way of advice, etc., to the farmers, as far as was acceptable to the farmers. There would be about twice as many men employed this year as there were last in the operation of the Western Section.

There hope was that the country would develop very rapidly, and the force would be increased every year. He understood that in this part of the country they had been getting crops without irrigation, but that the dryness of last year had turned many people to consider irrigation problems. People brought up in an irrigation country could hardly realize the view taken of it, sometimes here. Even when it was possible to get a crop without irrigation, it was possible to much enlarge it by a proper use of irrigation. So that it would pay people to use the water even although they did not have another dry year. The greatest benefit of irrigation was that it allowed of a greater variety of crops. Alfalfa was a crop that was grown very largely in the irrigated regions of the West. They intended to spread alfalfa culture here pretty strongly. It was a profitable and a sure crop and it added to the soil value. With irrigation a high tonnage of alfalfa could be got yearly. One feature of an irrigated country is that it supported a dense population, which meant larger towns, better schools, telephones, and all the other things which led to the pleasure of living.

With regard to the buildings to be erected for the new department, Mr. Stockton said it had not been exactly decided in what part of the town they would be located but he expected a decision would be made in a few days. The new department would be a permanent all-the-year-around one. Mr. Stockton's wife and family will arrive here in a few weeks, and they will occupy the house formerly occupied by Mr. A. S. Dawson.

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Strathmore Branch, J. S. Becker, Manager

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Tuesday last a number of neighbors and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kearney to give them a fare well surprise party. The crowd were all heart and soul in unison eager to show the Kearney family how they had appreciated having them in the home. The ladies came provided with an abundance of good things to eat. Mr. J. A. Schultz gave several good selections on the violin. Mr. and Mrs. Kearney were presented with a beautiful silver jelly stand, presented by Mrs. J. A. Schultz. Wallace Kearney took flash light views of the crowd. It was a pleasant party.

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I seen a show last night at Cheyenne,
And it was a sight to see,
Was rough and wild and every way
Same as a bonnet that hates the ways of
men.
But he like love struck, like I do, and
then
He cut out all that horse a'fraid
And studies dance and makes her
And she cut the make of a man, by her
And I am glad to try that bonnet's
gums
And spruce myself like all stage lovers
do.
And show the teacher that, though my
nickname
Is plain Bill, I ain't so bad clear
through.
And then I'll see—and darned quick, too,
I suppose
If kinder in life and like they do in
shows.

Good Neighbors.
Nodd—You live next to a burying
ground, don't you? How do you like
it?
Todd—Very much. Good neighbors.
Quiet and peaceable. Never running
in unexpectedly.

At the Box Office.
"Give me two seats, center orchestra,
fifth row, for Oct. 20, 1912."
"Are you crazy?"
"Very likely, but I thought I might
get ahead of your speculators on the
sidewalk."

The Irrelevance of Free.
He came at eight, toward till nine;
At ten he was there
When midnight chimed the air.
Yet he can't get it through his head
Nor comprehend too
What free referred to when she said,
"We open the first of May."

Backward.
The Doctor—Well, what's the trouble?
The Poet—Rheumatism.
The Doctor—What's the cause?
The Poet—Attic rooms—Browning's
Magazine.

Gould's Reel.
"What broke up the suffragette parade?"
"A department store hung out a sign
announcing \$2 silks at \$1.00—"Hir-
mingham Apr-tilled."

Too Touchy.
The vegetables had ordered up for dinner
He had had one to devote to the dinner
Now, wasn't a gruff and grouchy
sinner?
To growl about a little thing like that

Full.
"How much fuel do you compute we
shall need on our motor trip?"
"Well, suppose we say two gallons
of gasoline and three gallons of
Scott's"—"Outing."

No Improvement.
Customs changes, are changing over,
And styles are changing every day,
But there's one thing changes never—
Kisses are none the same old way.

Throw Himself at Him.
"He says he is not such a good
catch, after all."
"He says that, eh? He must have
dropped her."

Why see for fame, ambitious youth?
The world too oft wants the price.
He answered, "I do so, in youth,
Because it pays to advertise."

So Thin.
Peczi—Clarence boasts that he is
wrapped up in himself.
Rudy—Clarence! Isn't he afraid he
will catch cold?

Waiting For a Train.
The traveler tried in accents sad,
"I'll send my folks a letter."
To ear the waiting's very bad,
And the train's not much better.

To Plead.
"The pretty stenographer unlocks
many a man's heart."
"The wonder. Just think of the boys
she has."

Rival Rages.
My prize of Peace, as I found,
Made Mrs. Newell hate.
She said I ought to drop around
And hear her sobbing tale.

Squaring Himself.
The Colonel—Confound it, sir; you
nearly hit my wife!
Jaggon—Did I? Well, you have a
shot at mine.

Spring Picture.
Now spring is here the harassed man,
Who finds it hard to rest to day,
Will wait till night to get a van,
And move in a quiet way.

A Dip.
Kibbi—Jack simply fared over my
grave and my complexion.
Maud—And he is still in the sayings!
—Clashwoman.

Wayward Willie.
Bully whispered for a drink,
"Willie, come here up with the
wine, because the
Pad the lube with blotting pad."

Both Sides of a French.
Knicker—The early bird gets the
worm.
Knicker—So does the early fish.

Just a Way They Move.
A little someone and then
He related to all married men,
He told them to get up with him,
To stand his someone all his life.

THE GRACEFUL ANTELOPE.
He seems born of light and sun
In the Lap of the Wind,
For me there have been no fairer
lays than when the antelope skimmed
the plain with long sinuous with
speed on that low, gentle center whose
lanceolate motion left the best aimed
bullet for dead. For the antelope is
the only large animal that is wholly
serenely graceful as he may seem
when spurring the ground and swing-
ing high over rocks and brush, to re-
bound like a ball at the next touch of
earth, there is still something earthy
about the deer. But the antelope
seems born of light and sun in the
up of the wind. All his movements
show that he was meant for the air
rather than the earth. Though Nature
made a slight change in giving him
legs instead of wings, she made no
mistake, and her work has always
been the wonder and love of the hunt-
er. When troubles arise the deer
about the harbor of the hills, but
the antelope steers for the open sea.
The farther the plain sweeps wide and
free the more this gay rover loves its
safety, and run that to the deer
would mean death is to him only a
"breather" that warns him up to the
sea. Whether illumined the horizon
like a shooting star in the clear morn-
ing of the great plain or bounding
high, like a stilted ghost in the mirage
of glowing midday, he is the most
charming of all things that run, and
his passing has left a great void that
nothing can fill. The few that are left
protected as they are, give no idea of
the effect produced on a lover of the
open by one of the great bands of the
days that were, strung out in a dim
rainbow of the past, and vanishing as it
speed, and vanishing as it in our over-
the land's cutting verge—E. R. Van
Lyke in Recreation.

THE NUMBER SEVEN.
It Rarely Occurs in the Balance of
Weights and Measures.
How would you define "seven"? The
Standard Dictionary says it is "one
more than six." Webster's calls it "one
more than six or one less than eight."
The abridged Webster says it is "one
and six," and the Century's definition
runs "one more than six; the sum of
three and four."
In metrology—that is, the science of
weights and measures—seven is com-
paratively rare. The seven days of
the week form a striking example of
its use, however.
Scholars have found, too, that the
Egyptian cult contained seven hand-
breadths. "Cubit" is from the Latin
"cubitus," the elbow, or the distance
from the elbow to the end of the mid-
dle finger. The Roman cubit was
one and a half Roman feet or 17 1/2 English
inches, but the royal Egyptian cubit,
used in the building of the pyramids
of Gizeh, perhaps 2000 B. C., has been
learned from measuring sticks found
in the tombs to have been 20 1/2 English
inches. The ordinary cubit was
divided into six palm or handbreadths,
and the use of seven in the Egyptian
cult is sacred to some superstitions
to a probable custom of placing the
hand behind the elbow when measur-
ing along with the forearm and
leaving it on the wall until the arm
was laid down again. It should be
added that there are many other cubits
of widely different values, both ancient
and modern.—Rochester Democrat and
Chronicle.

Rough on the Architect.
"When I put the order to design a
big warehouse house for a firm that
has stores in five cities besides New
York naturally I was elated," said an
architect. "I'll plan a building that
is bound to be satisfactory. I said to
myself, and then they will give me the
commission for those new stores they
expect to put up in those other five
cities."
"Well, I did turn out a splendid store
—a store that was admired by every-
body in the wholesale trade. My pa-
tents were pleased, too, but instead of
giving me an order for those other
buildings they simply used the same
plans over and over again and built
all their houses alike. That's what I
call playing a low-down trick on a fel-
low."

Perfectly Realistic.
The members of the church voted
that their dearly beloved and devoted
pastor should have a vacation, and so
he decided that he would visit a broth-
er worker in the neighboring village.
This good brother, recognizing his fel-
low worker in the Lord way back
among the congregation as Sunday
morning and wishing to show every
courtesy, asked him to lead in prayer.
But the visitor calmly replied: "You'll
have to excuse me, dear brother. I'm
so my vacation."

Farefetched.
"I kept my husband on a string five
years before I consented to marry him."
"Why so long?"
"Well, you see, I waited until I could
see his way clear financially"—Lippin-
cott's.

Force of Habit.
Well—I'm afraid Mr. Gussler had too
much drink at the dinner last night.
Belle—What makes you think so?
Well—When the charlotte russe was
served he tried to blow the froth off—
Philadelphia Record.

Imagined Herself.
Arthur Ashton—How did you like
Europe? Bertha Benthame—Not very
well. Why, actually every place we
visited was overrun with foreigners.

Wise and the poet, from the
"The when it's hard."—Kansas City
Press.

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attention. It will pay to investigate this.

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a specialty. We have several good ones close in that
we consider bargains. From 80 to 160 acres each,
very well improved. We are always pleased to fur-
nish particulars.

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is going to be a good investment this Spring. Busi-
ness and residential lots in all parts of the town. We
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sary information as to the whereabouts of our Parrot,
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SATURDAY, APRIL 18

The New Irriga- Department

MR. STOCKTON A

Some time ago it
expressed their interest
in a new department to
the operation of the
system in the Western S
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Buildings and improve
be made to the extent
for the accommodation
department.

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who is to superintend
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about to travel", which will be sent free to anyone applying for it.

Strathmore Branch, J. S. Berker, Manager

A. C. REDFORD

STRATHMORE

Box 60, Strathmore

Moral and Temperance Reform League Meeting

A meeting of the local branch of the Temperance and Moral Reform League of Alberta was held on Monday evening in the Fire Hall. Though the hour for which the meeting was called was 8 o'clock, it was 8:45 before the meeting started, and even then there were only nine present, seven of whom were members of the League. Rev. Dr. Wilson presided, and the following others were present—Mr. F. T. McElhose, J. Saunders, H. J. Spicer, T. Higginbottom, E. W. Post, F. H. Tucker, H. B. Seymour, and J. Mackenzie.

Dr. Wilson, in opening, said they would have to discuss the new license application. He thought they should have a census of the town taken.

After some discussion, Mr. McElhose moved that they appoint a competent person to take a census of the town. Mr. Higginbottom seconded, and the motion carried unanimously.

In course of the discussion Mr. Spicer said that he wished to point out that in opposing this application they had no personal animosity against Mr. Harrison. He was a perfect gentleman, as far as they knew, and would run his hotel as well as it was possible to run it. His objections to the extra license were on principle.

The others who spoke concurred in this.

Mr. Seymour asked, "If I were applying for a liquor license (laughter) would you oppose it?" Mr. Spicer, "Certainly," said Mr. Spicer.

APPOINTING A CENSUS TAKER
Mr. Spicer moved that Mr. F. H. Tucker be appointed as a census taker. Mr. McElhose seconded.

Mr. Mackenzie asked if Mr. Spicer was not already committed to take a census by Mr. Harrison. Mr. Spicer said he was, but said he could handle both jobs at the same time, and that they could depend upon him for an honest report.

The motion carried. It was agreed to send Mr. McElhose to represent the League when the application came before the Commissioners, with Mr. Higginbottom and Mr. Frank Scher as alternates.

Mr. Higginbottom moved that at their next meeting the League have a paper read to them on Local Option. This was a very interesting subject, and one on which they would like to have some information. Mr. McElhose seconded, and this was agreed to.

Several questions were asked regarding the petition which had been sent round for circulation. It was explained that the petition had been circulated last fall, and had been held in abeyance till last week, when it was again circulated for additional signatures.

A meeting of the executive board was held after the public meeting.

Crow Foot Valley Notes

Mrs. Anson Barnett and children Miss Jessie and Master James O. Edwardsville III, arrived last week. Mr. Barnett is expected soon in his car. They will reside on his farm near Mr. R. West.

Mr. Wm. Schermann of Minn., father of Mrs. J. E. Haaskins is on his way to Strathmore. He comes to develop his fine farm.

Mr. E. C. Scher has about completed his building on his place "Lake View Farm."

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scher and family have moved from their old Hettinger place to their home Valley View Ranch.

The preaching service at Mr. Robt. West's was well attended last Sunday evening. Rev. S. S. Sings will hold services in Crow Foot Valley during the summer. The next service will be at 7 o'clock p.m. on April 9 at Mr. West's residence.

Rev. Mr. Mitten preached at Mr. Thos. Buckenfield's one afternoon last week.

A new school district was recently formed here. Crow Foot School is the name given it. The trustees are Messrs. Kowe, Harvey, S. Patriot and H. B. Scher.

Miss Marion Scher visited Mrs. Harry Scher recently.

Mr. Long is back on his farm. His mother coming with him.

Baseball Club Re-organizing

A meeting of the Strathmore Baseball Club was held in the Fire Hall on Friday evening, when there was a good attendance.

The financial statement for the preceding year was read and adopted unanimously. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:—President, Geo. H. Lloyd; Vice-President, F. C. Jones; Secretary-Treasurer, J. S. Barker; Manager, F. J. Harrison.

A deficit of \$88 on last year's finances was taken up and liquidated by the generosity of those present.

A letter was read from Langdon in reference to Strathmore J. C. League composed from the following:—

club couldn't see their way clear to fall in with this idea. The intention is to form a league with Strathmore, Gleichen, Bassano and Brooks. Strathmore hopes to have a very good bunch of Baseball players this year, and there is a lot of talent in town.

The Latest Census

In connection with the application for a second liquor license for Strathmore a census of the residents was taken Tuesday by Mr. F. H. Tucker. This was done as required by law, and under the joint auspices of Mr. Harrison, the applicant for the license, and the Strathmore branch of the Alberta Moral and Temperance Reform League.

The census showed that there are 530 people residing within the present village limits. These limits are very restricted. They do not include that part of Strathmore which lies north of the track, neither do they include the Demonstration farm and various other buildings near there. All these sections mentioned when the town is incorporated will fall within the town limits, and if they had been included in the census taken on Tuesday, would have brought the population to nearly 700.

We made a prediction just lately that Strathmore would have a population of over 1,000 before the end of 1911, and by the present census it would appear that it would have that population before that time, as the season has hardly opened up yet; and when the migration department under Mr. Stockton, C.E. is opened up, it will mean a further big addition to the population.

Four years ago the population of Strathmore could almost be counted upon the fingers of the two hands, 16 months ago it was 280, and the present figures show that the population is making a steady increase.

At the Boy Scout meeting last Wednesday afternoon, Dr. Givins, president of the local committee gave a very practical and deeply interesting talk to the boys on "First Aid."

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Or anything that a Good Blacksmith can do, call on me

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Next door east of King

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3-lb Pail.....	\$.55
5-lb ".....	.90
10-lb ".....	1.80
20-lb ".....	3.50

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To tell all the merits of our Smoked Meats would occupy a page. The people who know are telling us every day that our Smoked Meats

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Note the Cut in Price of Bacon.

Bacon.....	23c
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COME AND LET ONE DOLLAR DO
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Every Day brings us Consignments of New Goods, and every day we are closing out many Old Lines which we no longer are going to continue.

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Fine Quality Fancy Stripe Mohairs in Brown, Navy, Grey and Black,
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New Goods in Beautiful Designs.....Reg. 15c for 12 1/2c

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Just the Few Odd Pieces that were carried over the season, but never
the less just as good as new.....Reg. 15c to Clear at 12 1/2c

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Ladies' Black Lisle Finished Full Fashioned Seamless soft and stainless
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SWEET BISCUITS

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In Fancy Chenille and Lithograph Patterns, Reg. 40c and 50c values,
Your Choice 25c

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Fine Oriental Border Patterns, size 50x54 inches, Special Value at 50c

MEN'S WORKING SHIRTS

In Black Satens, Galates, Chambrays and Flannelshirts, Reg. 75c and
\$1.00 to Clear at 50c

MEN'S FANCY NEGLIGEE SHIRTS

In the Latest Patterns and Colors.....Reg. 85c for 75c

MEN'S AND BOYS' CREPE SHIRTS

A Beautiful Style for Spring Wear, and they wear like iron, Special
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A SPECIAL MEETING

OF THE

STRATHMORE

BOARD OF TRADE

WILL BE HELD IN THE

FIRE HALL,

MONDAY, APRIL 3rd,

AT 8.30 P.M.

Everyone interested in the welfare

and development of Strathmore is

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SEED FLAX FOR SALE, Price

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Field, Box 16, Strathmore.

FOR SALE, Several Hens, also

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has proved so popular that the

C.P.R. have determined to adopt it

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One thing that Mr. Carleton told

the emigrants on the way across

the lectures, Mr. Carleton during

the past winter has addressed over

50,000 people on the subject of

Western Canada.

One of the most popular scenes

shown on the moving picture screen

has been the one showing some humo-

rous scenes at the Strathmore

Demonstration Farm, taken by the

Edison Company of actors last

summer.

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Machine, Call at No. 11, C.P.R.

Immigration Hall, Strathmore.

5-3-17

United Farmers Meeting

A meeting of Strathmore Union

of the United Farmers of Alberta

was held in the Fire Hall on Satur-

day, Mr. J. T. Worthington

presiding. The minutes of last

meeting were read and approved.

A motion was passed that the

meetings of the Union be held on

the last Saturday of each month

during the summer.

IRRIGATION COMMITTEE

In regard to the irrigation

committee, as this was a very

important one, Mr. H. Sorenson

suggested that the number of

members on it be increased.

Accordingly Messrs. Wray, Worthing-

ton, Cimmert, and Schettler

were added.

HAIL INSURANCE

In regard to the hail insurance

resolution passed at the last meet-

ing, the Union, Mr. Sorenson

stated that he had sent copies of

the resolution to all the 235 branches

of the Union in Alberta. He had

also sent Premier Sifton a copy of

the resolution and had accompanied

it with a letter explaining the

action the Strathmore Union were

taking.

Mr. Mercer moved that the hearty

thanks of the Union be extended to

Mr. Sorenson for the work he had

done in connection with this

resolution. This was seconded

and passed unanimously.

TELEPHONES

In regard to the telephone service

the department had replied to a

letter sent from the Strathmore

Union asking for increased tele-

phone facilities stating that the

telephone work in this section had

been in view this year in Strathmore

district was along the south line

between Strathmore and Gleichen.

In regard to irrigation, Mr. Soren-

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Mr. Peterson, in which he stated

that the C.P.R. would do the work

of the utmost to provide

an adequate water supply during

the coming summer.

GOPIER POISONING

In regard to Gopher poisoning,

a letter was read from Gleichen

Union offering to provide a supply

of a special preparation for that

purpose if they had more than

sufficient for their own Union.

Mr. Robson said that these poison

ers are well known, but are very

expensive. Strathmore has been

cheaper, although its effectiveness

did not last as long, but he believed

that if the grain was properly

treated it would remain effective

for several weeks after it was put

in the holes.

The members were again reminded

of the general gopher hunt that

was to take place on the 15th of

April.

EXPERIMENTAL BEET

PLOTS

Mr. Robson said that he had just

received a letter from Dr. Max

Weisman stating that it was his

intention to have a number of plots

planted in beets throughout the

district as a means of instructing

the farmers how to plant, thin, and

cultivate the beet. These plots

would be situated in various farms

in the district. The company

would supply the machinery and

labor for planting and thinning, and

when the various operations were

going on the farmers in the vicinity

of these plots would be notified, so

that they could see the work being

done. Dr. Weisman also offered a

prize of \$50 for the best plot grown.

POSTAL SERVICE

The matter of the postal service

was brought up, and it was stated

that there was a number of com-

plaints of non-delivery of mail.

The secretary was instructed to

write the Postmaster General asking

him to investigate into the matter.

It was stated that at the next

meeting, which will be held on the

Saturday in April, Mr. Sorenson

would deliver a lecture on irriga-

tion and the water duty.

Licensing and Moral

Matters

EXPLANATION BY REV. DR.

WILSON

(To the Editor of the Standard)

As there has been much talk

among our citizens concerning a

paragraph that appeared in the last

issue of your paper, and as you are

charged on the one hand with

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